CURRICULUM VITAE: ALAN CHARLES KORS

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PERSONAL:

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EDUCATION:

B.A. Princeton University, 1964 (History)
Summa Cum Laude; PBK; University Scholar.
History Thesis Prize; Class rank: 4

M.A. Harvard University, 1965 (European History)

Ph.D. Harvard University, 1968 (European History):
Danforth Fellowship; Harvard Prize Fellowship; Woodrow Wilson Fellowship & Dissertation Fellowship; Fulbright Fellowship (declined).

PUBLICATIONS:

BOOKS:

Witchcraft in Europe 1100-1700: A Documentary History (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1972); second, revised edition, *Witchcraft in Europe 400-1700*) (Philadelphia, University of Pennsylvania Press, 2001). Co-editor, with critical introductions, translations, and notes

D'Holbach's Coterie: An Enlightenment in Paris (Princeton, New Jersey: Princeton University Press, 1976); re-issued in paperback, 2015.

Anticipations of the Enlightenment in England, France and Germany. Editor; author of critical introduction; contributor. (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1987)

Atheism in France, 1650-1729: *The Orthodox Sources of Disbelief*. (Princeton, New Jersey: Princeton University Press, 1990); reissued in paperback, 2014.

The Shadow University: The Betrayal of Liberty on America's Campuses (New York: The Free Press, 1998; [paperback, New York: HarperCollins Perennial, 1999]). [with Harvey A. Silverglate]

Editor-in-Chief, *Encyclopedia of the Enlightenment*, 4 volumes. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2002).

Naturalism and Unbelief in Early-Modern France (New York and Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, August, 2016).

Epicureans and Atheists in Early-Modern France (New York and Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, August, 2016).

ARTICLES AND REVIEWS:

Review of Agnes Mackey, *La Fontaine and His Friends*, in *American Historical Review*, June, 1975.

"The Marquis de Chastellux," in *Abroad in America,* Marc Pachter, ed. (Boston: Addison-Wesley, 1976).

"The Myth of the Coterie Holbachique," in *French Historical Studies*, Fall, 1976.

Review of Bernard Plongeron, *Theologie et politique au siecle des lumieres (1770-1820)*, in *Journal of Modern History*, March, 1976.

Review of Keith Michael Baker, Condorcet: *From Natural Philosophy to Social Mathematics*, in *Journal of Modern History*, December, 1976

Review of Terry Nichols, *Prophets and Patrons: The French University and the Emergence of the Social Sciences*, in *The American Political Science Review*, September 1977.

Review of Mark Hulliung, *Montesquieu and the Old Regime*, in *American Historical Review*, June, 1978.

Review of E. William Monter, *Witchcraft in France and Switzerland: The Borderlands during the Reformation*, in *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, Winter, 1979

Review of Robert Nisbet, *History of the Idea of Progress*, in *American Journal of Sociology*, September, 1982.

"D'Holbach's Influence in 19th-Century France," in *Dictionary of French History 1815-1850* (Westport, Greenwood Press, 1984).

Review of Ann Thomson, *Materialism and Society in the Mid-Eighteenth Century: La Mettrie's 'Discours Préliminaire,* in *Diderot Studies*, XXII, 1986.

Review of C.J. Betts, *Early Deism in France*, in *Journal of Modern History*, December, 1986.

"'A First-Being of Whom We Have No Proof': The Preamble of Atheism in Early-Modern France," in *Anticipations of the Enlightenment* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1987).

Review of Michael Adas, *Machines As the Measure of Men: Science, Technology, and Ideologies of Western Dominance*, *The New York Times Book Review,* September 10. 1989.

Review of Michael J. Buckley, S.J., . *At the Origins of Modern Atheism,* in *Eighteenth-Century Studies*, Summer, 1989

Review of *Julien Offray de La Mettrie. Oeuvres philosophiques. (Corpus des Oeuvres de Philosophie en Langue Francaise.) Volume I: 1751*, in *Isis*, September, 1989.

"Theology and Atheism in Early-Modern France," in Anthony Grafton and Ann Blair, eds., *The Transmission of Culture in Early-Modern Europe* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1990).

"The Politicization of Academic Life," in *Academic Questions*, Spring, 1990.

"Harassment Policies in the University," in *Society,* May/June, 1991.

"On 'Liberty and Learning'," in *Academic Questions*, Summer, 1991.

Review of Jeffrey Merrick, *Desacralization of the French Monarchy in the Eighteenth Century*, in *Journal of Modern History*, December, 1992.

"The Atheism of d'Holbach and Naigeon," in Michael Hunter and David Wootton, eds., *Atheism from the Reformation to the Enlightenment* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1992).

"The University In Loco Parentis," in Howard Dickman, ed., *The Imperiled Academy* (New Brunswick, New Jersey: Transaction, 1993).

"T.S. Eliot on the Aims of Education: The Challenge of Universal Education," in *The World and I,* VIII, No. 2 (1993)

"Skepticism and Atheism in Early-Modern France," in Richard H. Popkin and Arno Vanderjagt, eds. *Skepticism and Irreligion in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries* (Leiden: E.J. Brill, 1993).

"The Challenge of Universal Education," in *The World and I,* February, 1993.

"Le Christ des Incrédules," in Maria-Christina Pitassi, ed., *Le Christ Entre Orthodoxie et Lumières* (Geneva: Droz, 1994).

"The French Context of Hume's Philosophical Theology," in *Hume Studies*, November, 1995.

"The Assault upon Liberty and Dignity," in Karl Strobel and Gisela Schirmber, eds., *Drei Jahrzehnte Unbruch der deutschen Universitaten. Die Folgen von Revolte und Reform 1968-1974* (Munich: SH-Verlag, 1996).

"The Realm of Government, The Realm of Ethics," in *Academic Questions*, Summer, 1997.

"Monsters and the Problem of Naturalism in French Thought," in *Eighteenth-Century Life*, May, 1997.

"Just Authority and Arbitrary Authority in Enlightenment Thought," in John McCarthy, ed., *Studies in Philosophy and the History of Philosophy*. (Washington, DC: Catholic University of America Press, 1998).

"The Future of History," in Elizabeth Fox-Genovese and Elisabeth Lasch-Quinn, eds, *Reconstructing History*. (New York: Routledge, 1999).

"Morality on Today's College Campuses," in *Vital Speeches of the Day,* August 1, 1998.

"Codes of Silence," in *Reason*, November, 1998 [with Harvey A. Silverglate].

"What's Left?" in *Reason*, December, 1998.

"Cracking the Speech Code," in *Reason*, July, 1999.

"The Contradiction Inherent in 'Social Responsibility'," in *Academic Questions*, Fall, 1999.

"Has Western Civilization Survived the Twentieth Century?" *The National Interest*, Winter, 1999/2000 (Reprinted as a stand-alone publication by the Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University, 2000.)

"Thought Reform 101," in *Reason*, March 2000.

"Dimness at Noon," in *Reason*, December 2000.

"Triumph without Self-Belief," in *Orbis*, Summer, 2001.

"Sex, Drugs, Jews, and Rock and Roll," in *Reason*, November 2001.

"The Politicization of the University," in *The World and I*, VI, No. 5, 2001.

"The Enlightenment and Toleration," in Ruth Whelan and Carol Baxter, editors, *Toleration and Religious Identity: The Implication of the Edict of Nantes for France, Britain, and Ireland* (Dublin: Four Courts Press, 2002).

"Rose-Colored Glasses," in *Reason*, April, 2002.

"Pluralism and the Catholic University," in *First Things*, April, 2002.

"Skepticism and Clandestinity," in Gianni Paganini et al., eds., *Scepticisme, Clandestinité, et Libre Pensée.* (Paris: Honoré Champion, 2002).

"Skepticism and the Problem of Atheism in Early-Modern France," in *Ibid.*

"Preface,""Atheism," "Holbach," "Naigeon," "Philosophes," in Alan Charles Kors, editor-in-chief, *Encyclopedia of the Enlightenment*, 4 volumes. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2002).

"Can There Be an After Socialism?" in *Social Philosophy & Policy* XX, No. 1 (Cambridge University Press, 2003), also published in Russia (*Mosty*) and Bulgaria (*Razon*).

Review of Jonathan Israel, *Radical Enlightenment*: *Philosophy and the Making of Modernity, 1650-1750*, in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, Winter, 2003.

"The Enlightenment and Toleration," in Ruth Whelan and Carol Baxter, eds., *Toleration and Religious Identity: The Edict of Nantes and its implications in France, Britain and Ireland* (Dublin: Four Courts Press, 2003)

"Where is History?" in *Academic Questions* (Summer: Encounter Press, 2004)

"Atheism and Skepticism in the Late French Enlightenment," in Marc André Bernier and Sébastien Charles, eds., *Scepticisme et Modernité* (Saint Etienne: University of Saint-Etienne Press, 2005)

"The Relationship of Academic Freedom to Human Freedom," the T.B. Davie Memorial Lecture of 2006 (Cape Town, Republic of South Africa: University of Cape Town, 2006)

"Les Résonances des Débats du XVIIe Siècle dans la Pensée du Baron D'Holbach," in Sophie Audidière et al., eds, *Matérialistes Français du XVIIIe Siècle* (Paris: Presses Universitaires de France, 2006)

"Voltaire's England," in *The American Interest* , Summer, 2007

"Five Best Books on Fanaticism," in *The Wall Street Journal*, January 19, 2008.

"On the Sadness of Higher Education," in *The New Criterion*, May, 2008.

"Charles-Georges Le Roy and Ethological Skepticism," in *Libertinage et Philosophie au XVII^{e} Siècle,* N^{o} 12, 2010.

"Mind, Body, and Soul: Ideas in Context," in *Modern Intellectual History,* 7, 3 (Cambridge University Press, May, 2010)."

Review of Jeffrey D. Burson, *The Rise and Fall of Theological Enlightenment: Jean-Martin de Prades and Ideological Polarization in Eighteenth-Century France*, in *H-France Review*, February 2011.

"The Paradox of John Stuart Mill," in *Social Philosophy and Policy,* vol.28: 2, Summer 2011, Cambridge University Press.

----in E.F. Paul, Fred D. Miller, Jr., and J. Paul, eds., *Liberalism and Capitalism* (Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, UK and New York, 2011)

"The Enlightenment, Naturalism, and the Secularization of Values," in *Free Inquiry*, 32:3 (April/May 2012)

"Deism," in Chad Meister and James Beilby, eds. *The Routledge Companion to Modern Christian Thought* (London, UK: Routledge, 2013)

"An Uneasy Relationship: Atheism and Scepticism in the Late French Enlightenment", in Sébastien Charles and Plinio Junqueira Smith (eds), *Scepticism in the Eighteenth Century: Enlightenment, Lumières, Aufklärung*, in the series, *Archives internationales d'histoire des idees/International Archives of the History of Ideas*. (Dordrecht and London: Springer, 2013)

"On Larry Norman, *The Shock of the Ancient*," in *H-France Forum* (http://www.h-france.net/forum), Winter, 2012

"Calumny, Culture, Continuity, and Control," in *The Eighteenth Century: Theory and Interpretation* (University of Pennsylvania Press Journals), Winter, 2012

"The Age of Enlightenment," in Stephen Bullivant and Michael Ruse, eds., *The Oxford Handbook of Atheism* (Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK and New York, 2013).

"Deism," in Gadi Taub, ed., *The Enlightenment: the Thought of the Eighteenth-Century*, (Jerusalem: Bialik Institute, in press) [in Hebrew]

DIGITAL (video and audio) WORKS:

Alan Charles Kors, *The Origins of the Modern Mind: The Seventeenth Century*. The Teaching Company. (1991).

Alan Charles Kors, *The Mind of the Enlightenment: The Eighteenth Century*. The Teaching Company. (1991).

Alan Charles Kors, *The Great Minds of the Western Intellectual Tradition*. The Teaching Company. (twelve guest lectures, 1991; twelve new guest lectures, 1999).

Alan Charles Kors, *The Birth of the Modern Mind (the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries)*. The Teaching Company. (twenty-four lectures, 1998).

Alan Charles Kors, *Voltaire: The Mind of the Enlightenment*, The Teaching Company (2000).

TEACHING:

1968-73:	Assistant Professor of History, Univ. of Pennsylvania
1974-88:	Associate Professor of History, Univ. of Pennsylvania
1988-:	Professor of History, Univ. of Pennsylvania
2004-09:	George H. Walker Endowed Term Chair in History
2009-:	Henry Charles Lea Professor of History

ADMINISTRATIVE (at University of Pennsylvania):

1977:	Chair, Search Committee for University Dean of Admissions
1977-79:	Director, General Honors Program
1971-80:	Co-Founder & Resident Faculty, Van Pelt College House
1977-80:	Housemaster, Van Pelt College House
1988-90:	Chair, S.A.S. Committee on Undergraduate Education
1999- 2000:	Undergraduate Chair, Department of History
2006-2007:	Chair, Senate Committee on Academic Freedom and Responsibility

POST-DOCTORAL AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, DIRECTORSHIPS:

1975:	Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching
1975-76:	Fellowship, American Council of Learned Societies
1985-86:	Director, N.E.H. Summer Seminars
1986-87:	Fellow, Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University
1989:	Ira Abrams Award for Distinguished Teaching
1990:	Univ. of Pennsylvania Research Foundation Fellowship
1992-98:	Member, National Council on the Humanities (Confirmed by U.S. Senate, July 1992)
1993:	Seminar Director, Folger Institute, Washington, DC
1993:	Friars Senior Society Faculty Award
1994-96:	Fellowship, Smith Richardson Foundation

1994: Young America's Foundation Engalitcheff Award, for Defense of Academic Freedom

1997: Templeton Honor Roll (for Academic Freedom)

1998: Collegiate Network Friend of Liberty Award

1999-: Fellow, Foreign Policy Research Institute

2001: The Barry R. Gross Award for "Distinguished Service to the Cause of Academic Freedom"

2002: Caldwell Award for Leadership in Higher Education, Pope Center for Higher Education Policy

2003-04: Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar

2004-05: James Wilbur Award, conferred by The Conference on Value Inquiry, for "Extraordinary Contributions to the Appreciation and Advancement of Human Values," 32nd Conference of Value Inquiry, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

2005-11 Senior Fellow, The Goldwater Institute, Phoenix, AZ

2005: National Humanities Medal (Citation:"For his study of European intellectual thought and his dedication to the study of the humanities. A widely respected teacher, he is the champion of academic freedom.") Washington DC.

2006: Charles Ludwig Award for Distinguished College Teaching

2007: Richard S. Dunn Award for Distinguished College Teaching

2008: Jeane Kirkpatrick Award for Defense of Academic Freedom

2008: The Bradley Prize (Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation)

2014: James Q. Wilson Award for Distinguished Scholarship on the Nature of a Free Society, James Madison Center, Princeton University

ACADEMIC ACTIVITY (since 1987):

1987:

Paper, Davis Center for Historical Studies, "Theology and Atheism in Early-Modern France," Princeton University, Princeton, NJ.

Commentator, American Historical Association, "The Development of Moral Theory in Early-Modern France," Washington, DC.

1989-90:
Editorial Board, University of Pennsylvania Press

Two lectures on the *Traité des Trois Imposteurs*, and invited participant, Foundation for Intellectual History, Seminar on Clandestine Manuscripts, at the University of Leiden, The Netherlands

Lecture, "Philosophical Skepticism and the Problem of Disbelief in Early-Modern France," and invited participant, Foundation for Intellectual History, Conference on "The History of Skepticism," Netherlands Institute for Advanced Studies, Wassenaar, The Netherlands

1990-91:
Canisius College, Annual Lecture for the Induction of the Honors Societies in History and in Political Science (Joint Invitation from the Departments of History and Political Science)

The Teaching Company and the Smithsonian Institute Associates Program: Eight lectures on "The Origins of the Modern Mind: The Seventeenth Century"

Lecture, "Deism and Atheism in Heterodox Thought," Annual Convention of the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Pittsburgh, PA

1991-92:
Paper, "Deism and 'The Pursuit of Happiness,'" and Forum Participant: The Le Moyne Forum on Deism and the American Enlightenment (co-sponsored by The Center for Early American Studies), Syracuse, NY

Lecture, "Just and Arbitrary Authority in Enlightenment Thought," The Catholic University of America, School of Philosophy, Washington, DC

Eight Lectures, The Teaching Company and the Smithsonian Associates Program, "The European Enlightenment: The Eighteenth-Century Mind"

Paper, "Ralph Cudworth, Cambridge Platonism and the French Debate about Disbelief," Annual Meeting of the American Society for 18th-Century Studies, Seattle, WA

1992-93:

Speaker and Panelist, Opening Presidential Plenary Session (with Cornel West and Linda Kerber), American Historical Association, "History and the Historical Profession in a Unified World,'" AHA Annual Convention, Washington, DC

Plenary Speaker, "The French Context of Hume's Philosophical Theology," Joint Convention of the Scottish Studies Society and The Hume Society, Ottawa, Canada

1993-98
Board of Editors, *Eighteenth-Century Life*

1993-94:
Lecture, "The Christs of the Unbelievers at the Dawn of the Enlightenment," and Conference Participant, Colloquium on "Christ between Orthodoxy and Enlightenment," Institute for Reformation History, University of Geneva, Geneva Switzerland

Chair, Clifford Prize Committee, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies

Seminar Director, "Heterodoxy and Orthodoxy and Early-Modern Britain and France," Folger Institute, Washington, DC

1994-95:
Plenary Lecture, "The Intellectual Origins of the American Republic," Foreign Policy Research Institute, Philadelphia, PA.

Lecture and Panelist, "Universities and Academic Freedom," Conference on "Der Umbruch der deutschen Hochshulen," Hanns Seidel Stiftung, Munich, Germany

Lecture, "Academic Freedom," University of Munich

Chair and Moderator, Plenary Session, "The Limits of Advocacy in the Classroom," Conference on Advocacy, under the Auspices of the MLA, ACLS, AAUP, and other scholarly organizations

Four lectures and faculty member, Institute for Humane Studies Summer Seminar on Liberty, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA

1995-6:
Lecture, University of Chicago, "Confronting the Atheist in Early-Modern France"

Lecture and panelist, "French Materialism and British Naturalism," American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Austin, Texas

Chair, Session on "Freethought," American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies," Austin, Texas

Four lectures and faculty member, Institute for Humane Studies summer institute on Liberty, Bryn Mawr College

1996-97:
Directeur d'Etudes, Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes, (Sciences Religieuses), conducting a course on "L'Orthodoxie, l'hetérodoxie, et l'athéisme aux 17ème et 18ème siècles, [Orthodoxy, Heterodoxy, and Atheism in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries]" University of Paris, Pris, France

Four lectures and faculty member, Institute for Humane Studies Intermediate Seminar on Classical Liberalism, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr. PA

1997-98:
Speaker/Panelist, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, "The Catholic Education of the Philosophes," Notre Dame, IN

Commentator, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, "The 'Monstrous' in Eighteenth-Century Thought," Notre Dame, IN

"The Edict of Nantes in Enlightenment Thought," Maynooth University Conference on the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes, Dublin, Ireland

Four lectures and faculty member, Institute for Humane Studies Summer Seminar on Classical Liberalism, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA

1998-99:
Lecture, "The Enlightenment and Toleration," Center for Judaic Studies, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Papers delivered at The International Congress of Societies for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Dublin, Ireland, on "Philosophical Skepticism and Atheism in Early-Modern Freethought," and on "The Relationship of Skepticism to Atheism in the Clandestine Manuscripts"

Program Co-Chairman, First Annual Convention, The Historical Society, Boston, MA

Lectures on "The Roots of Liberty,""The French Enlightenment," and "The Current State of Academia" at CATO University Summer Seminar, Rancho Bernardo, CA

Lectures and seminar faculty, Institute for Humane Studies Intermediate Summer Seminar on Liberty and Society, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA

1998-2006:
Board of Directors and Executive Committee, The Historical Society

1999-:2006:
Co-Founder, President, and Chairman (all pro bono): The Foundation for Individual Rights in Education

1999-2004:
Contributing Editor, *Reason*

1999-2000:
Lecture, "The Critique of Despotism in the English and French Enlightenments," The Reason Foundation, March 2000, Santa Barbara, California

Chairman and Commentator, "Antislavery in Enlightenment Thought," American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, April 2000, Philadelphia, PA

2000-2002
Board and Executive Committee: American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies

2001-2002
Lecture, "Les sources de l'athéisme du baron d'Holbach," Université de Poitiers, May, 2001, Poitiers, France

Lecture, "Reason and Western Civilization," Seattle Pacific University, Dept. of Philosophy, January 2001, Seattle, WA

Lecture, "Academic Freedom and the First Amendment," Institute for Humane Studies (George Mason University), February 2002, Alexandria, VA

Lecture, "On Academic Freedom," Emory University, April 2002, Atlanta, GA

Lecture, "Liberty and Higher Education," University of Western Ontario, May 2002, London, Ontario, Canada

2002-2003:
Lectures on "The Origins of 'The Pursuit of Happiness,'" "The Origins of Religious Toleration,'" and "The French Enlightenment,'" Institute for Humane Studies (George Mason University), at Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA, July 2002

Lecture, "Academic Freedom," Duke University, January 2003, Durham, NC

Lecture, "Can There Be an 'After Socialism,'" The Heritage Foundation, January 2003, Washington, DC,

Lecture, "Skepticism and Atheism in the French Enlightenment," Conference on "Scepticisme et Lumières," University of Halifax, May 2003, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

2003-2004:
Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar: Public lectures; lectures; seminars; honors seminars and faculty seminars during two-day visits to North Carolina State University; Illinois College; University of Maine, Rockford College; Claremont McKenna; Muhlenberg University; University of Tulsa; University of Delaware (September to April)

Lecture, "The Nature and Future of Academic Freedom," Conference on Academic Freedom, Loyola Marymount University, February 2004, Los Angeles, CA

Seminar Leader, "Toleration and Liberty in Milton, Locke, and Mill," Law and Economics," a Seminar for Federal and State Judges, Law and Economics Center of George Mason University, April 2004, San Diego, CA

Organizer and paper, "The Future of the French Enlightenment Studies," panel on European Enlightenments, The Historical Society, Boothbay Harbor, Maine, May, 2004

Commencement Address, Immaculata University (PA), May, 2004

Lecture, "The State of the Historical Profession," Convention of the National Association of Scholars, June, 2004, NYC, NY

Lectures on "Socialism and Human Rights" and on "Frederic Bastiat, Political Economist," IHS Summer Seminar on Globalism and Human Rights, Arlington, Virginia, July 2004

Lectures on Academic Freedom at the Goldwater Institute; Western Michigan University; The Objectivist Center; The Junto (NYC); and Lehigh University

2004-2005:
Chairman (pro bono), the Foundation for Individual Rights in Education

Lecture and Panelist, "Freedom and the American Campus," The John William Pope Center for Higher Education, October 2004, Chapel Hill, NC

Lecture, "Teaching the Conceptual Revolution of Early-Modern Europe," Core Knowledge Foundation, March 2005. Philadelphia, PA,

Keynote Lecture, "The History of Philosophy and Intellectual History: The Different Sources of Debate," Annual Conference on Value Inquiry, Louisiana State University, April 2005. Baton Rouge, LA.

Lecturer/Debater, "The Enforcement of Morals," Judicial Conference of the United States Fifth Judicial Circuit Court of Appeals, May 2005, New Orleans, LA

Seminar Leader, "The Ethics of Individualism for Judges," Colloquium for Judges of the U.S. District, Circuit, and State Supreme Courts, under the auspices of the Law and Economics Center of the School of Law, George Mason University, June 2005, San Diego, CA

2004-present:
Academic Advisory Board, The John William Pope Center for Higher Education

2005-2006
Lecture, "The Betrayal of Liberty on America's Campuses," The Tocqueville Center, University of Minnesota, October, 2005, Minneapolis, MN.

Lecture,"Liberty and Education," The Foundation for Economic Education, February 2006, Irvington-on-Hudson, NY

Lecture," The Role of a Free Press," Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University, February 2006, Arlington, VA

Annual Interregnum Lecture, "Religion and Liberty," The King's College, April 2006, NYC, NY,

Lecture, "The History of Atheism in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries," University of Pennsylvania (Philomathean Society Lecture), April 2006. Philadelphia, PA

Keynote Lecture, "Conference on Higher Education," University of Southern California, April 2006, Los Angeles, CA

Lecture, "Academic Freedom," Fund for American Studies, April 2006, Washington, DC

Lecture, Seminar Leader, and Keynote Speaker, Lehrman Summer Institute and The James Madison Center, Princeton University: "Why 'The Pursuit of Happiness'?" June 2006, Princeton, NJ

Lecture, "Can There Be an 'After Socialism?'" Fund for American Studies, July 2006, Washington, DC

2006-2007:
Lecture and Seminar Leader, "Liberty," for State Judges and State Supreme Court Judges of the Oregon Courts; Law and Economics Center of the School of Law, George Mason University, August 2006, Portland, OR,

Lecture, T.B. Davie Memorial Lecture, University of Cape Town, "Academic Freedom and Its Relationship to Human Freedom," August 2006, Cape Town, South Africa

Opening Plenary Address, "The Historical Profession and Its Reform," the H.B. Earhart Fellows Conference on the Origins and Future of the Free Society, October 2006, Alexandria, VA

Lecture, "Higher Education and Human Liberty," The Mount Pelerin Society, November 2006, Guatemala City, Guatemala

Chairman and Moderator,"Courts of Law and Courts of Public Opinion," National Association of Scholars National Conference, November 2006, Boston, MA

Co-Debater," Universities and a Free Society," University of Delaware, May 2007 Newark, DE

Lecture and Seminar Leader, "Varieties of Skepticism," for Federal District and Circuit Judges and for State Supreme Court Justices; Law and Economics Center of the School of Law, George Mason University April 2007, Tucson, AZ

Lecture, "John Stuart Mill and Liberty," New Mexico State Judicial Conference, June 2007, Albuquerque, NM

Lecture Panelist,"The Victims of Communism," Dedication of the Victims of Communism Memorial, June 2007, Washington, DC

Keynote Lecture, "The Betrayal of Academic Freedom," The Leadership Institute, June 2007, Washington, DC

Lecture, Seminar Leader, and Keynote Speaker, Lehrman Summer Institute and The James Madison Center, Princeton University, June 2007, Princeton, NJ

Co-Presenter (with Prof. Akil Amar Reed, Yale Law School), DC Circuit Court of Appeals Judicial Conference, "John Stuart Mill and Legal Paternalism," June 2007, Hot Springs, VA

2006-present:
Board of Editors, *Diderot Studies*

2007-2008:
Lecture, "Charles-Georges Le Roy and Ethological Skepticism," International Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies Convention, August 2007, Montpellier, France

Lecture, "The State of Academic Freedom," The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation, February, 2008, Washington, DC

Keynote Address, "Liberty and Education," First Annual Convention of Students for Liberty, Columbia University, February, 2008, NYC, NY

Lecture and Seminar Leader, "Stagecoach," Law and Economics Center Seminar for federal and state judges (George Mason University School of Law) April 2008, Ojai, CA

Lecture, "Bishop Joseph Butler and 'The Pursuit of Happiness'," Lehrman Summer Institute and The James Madison Center, Princeton University, June 2007, Princeton, NJ

Keynote Address, "The Future of the Historical Profession," Lehrman Summer Institute and The James Madison Center, Princeton University, June 2007, Princeton, NJ

Lecture, "After Socialism," Conference on Teaching History, NJ Educational Consortium, Princeton University, July 2008, Princeton, NJ

2008-2009:
Lecture, "The Pursuit of Happiness," Conference on Teaching History, NJ Educational Consortium, Princeton University, August, 2008, Princeton, NJ

Lecture Series (one week), "The Intellectual History of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries," The Appalachian Institution, August, 2008, Ashville, NC.

Lectures and Seminar Leader, "John Stuart Mill's *On Liberty,*" Seminar for justices of state supreme courts and for federal judges, Law and Economics Center of the George Mason University Law School, October 2008, San Diego, CA

Lecture, "Voltaire's *Lettres Philosophiques*," Van Pelt Library Conference on Censorship and the French Enlightenment, University of Pennsylvania, February 2009, Philadelphia, PA

Keynote Address, Student Committee on Undergraduate Education, "Education at the University of Pennsylvania: Liberty and Learning," March 2009, Philadelphia, PA

External Review Committee, George Washington University Department of History, March 2009, Washington, DC

Final Jury Member, Bourse Chateaubriand, French Embassy, March 2009, Washington, DC

Lecture and Seminar Leader, "Philanthropy and Higher Education," Law and Economics Center of the George Mason University Law School, April 2009, Arlington, VA

2009-present:
Academic Advisory Council, Clemson University, Clemson Institute for the Study of Capitalism.

2009-2010:
Lecture, "The Pursuit of Happiness," Lehrman Summer Institute and The James Madison Center, Princeton University, July 2009, Princeton, NJ

Lecture ,"Lucretius and Holbach," Conference on Lucretius and Early-Modern Thought, The Departments of Classics, History, and Philosophy, University of Edinburgh, September 2009, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK

Lecture, "Academic Freedom," Law and Economics Center of the George Mason University School of Law, September 2009, Alexandra, VA

Lectures and Seminar Leader," John Stuart Mill and Liberty," Law and Economics Center of the George Mason University School of Law, Conference for federal and state judges, October 2009 San Diego, CA

Keynote Address, "The Significance of Communism," Students for Liberty Mid-Atlantic Conference, Drexel University, October 2009, Philadelphia, PA

Keynote Address, "The Victims of Communism," Atlas Economic Research Foundation, Freedom Dinner, November 2009, Washington, DC,

Lecture, "Skepticism in Late Enlightenment Materialism," Conference on Skepticism in the Enlightenment from Bayle to the *Encyclopédie*, University of Sherbrooke, April 2010, Montréal, Québec, Canada

Lecture, "The Problem of Naturalism in the Late-Seventeenth Century Philosophy," Philosophers' Lunch Colloquium of the Department of Philosophy, University of Pennsylvania, April 2010, Philadelphia, PA

Paper and discussant, "The Paradox of John Stuart Mill," Liberty Fund Symposium on "Liberty and Capitalism" (cosponsored by the Social Philosophy and Policy Center of Bowling Green University), April-May 2010, Perrysburg, OH

2010-2011:
Lecture, "The Pursuit of Happiness and the Declaration of Independence," and Seminar Leader, the Lehrman American Studies Center Summer Institute and the James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University, June 2010, Princeton, NJ

Opening Plenary Lecture, "The French Enlightenment and Liberty," The Mont Pelerin Society, October 2010, Sydney, Australia

Lecture and Seminar, "Late Enlightenment Materialism," University of Melbourne, October 2010, Melbourne, Australia

Reader of graduate fellowship applications for the Bourse Chateaubriand, the Charlotte Newcombe Fellowships of the Woodrow Wilson Fellowships, and the Institute for Humane Studies

Lecture, "Socialism and Classical Liberalism," The Federalist Society of Northwestern University School of Law, November 2010, Chicago, IL,

Elected Member, The Mont Pelerin Society

Discussant, Liberty Fund Seminar on "Political Economy in Diderot's *Encyclopédie,*" January 2011, Indianapolis, IN

The John W. Pope Lecture, "Socialism's Legacy: Lest We Forget," Clemson University, March 2011, Clemson, SC

Respondent, "Civic Responsibility and Higher Education," Bradley Foundation/The Jack Miller Foundation [in honor of the 25th Anniversary of the Bradley Graduate and Post-Graduate Fellowship Program], April 2011, Chicago, IL

Lecture, "Voltaire and the Enlightenment," Rittenhouse Club, April 2011, Philadelphia, PA

Lecture, "The Victims of Communism," Foreign Policy Research Institute, April 2011, Philadelphia, PA

2011-2012:
Lecture, "Can There Be an 'After Socialism'?," Hoover Institution, Stanford University, May, 2012, Palo Alto, CA

Lecture, "Why 'The Pursuit of Happiness'? British Moral Theology in the Eighteenth Century," The Lehrman American Studies Center Summer Institute and The James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University, June 2011, Princeton, NJ

Lecture, "Deist, Skeptical, and Atheist Thought During the French Enlightenment," Conference on "Toward a Reasonable World: The Heritage of Western Humanism, Skepticism, and Freethought," San Diego State University and the Institute for the Study of American Religion, September 2011, San Diego, CA

Lecture and Seminar Leader, "The French Enlightenment," Institute of Fine Arts, New York University, September 2011, NYC, NY

2012-2013:
Lecture, "A Tribute to Tom Rollins," 2012 Phillip Merrill Award Ceremony for Outstanding Contributions to Liberal Arts Education, Washington, DC

"Why 'The Pursuit of Happiness,'" College for a Day, Maplewood Adult School, Maplewood, NJ

"The Rise of Religious Toleration in the West," Institute for the Study of Western Civilization, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX

Final Jury, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (only non-Canadian scholar invited)

Panelist, CINECA (consortium of 59 Italian research universities and centers), for PRIN (Projects of National Interest) and FIRB (Future in Research for Younger Investigators)

Panelist, Bourse Chateaubriand, Government of France, 2013

Discussant, Liberty Fund Conference on "Liberty and Parliamentary Government," Toronto, Ontario, CA

2013-2014:

Keynote Address, Foreign Policy Research Institute, "The American Founding and 'the Pursuit of Happiness,'" September 28, 2013, Philadelphia, PA

Plenary Address, The Philadelphia Society, "The Victims of Communism," October, 2013, Atlanta, GA

Address, "The French Enlightenment," Renaissance Weekend, December, 2013, Charleston, SC

Lecture and Seminar, "Circulating Epicurean Atheism in 17th-Century France with Approbation and Permission: The Case of Guillaume Lamy," Stanford Humanities Center, Stanford University, March 2014, Palo Alto, CA

Lecture and Panelist, "The Learned Journals and the Dissemination of the Unthinkable," American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, March 2014, Williamsburg, VA

Lecture and Panelist, "Skepticism in the Political Thought of Holbach's Circle," Society for French Historical Studies, April 2014, Montréal, Québec, Canada

Keynote Prize Address, Receipt of the James Q. Wilson Award for Distinguished Scholarship on the Nature of a Free Society, James Madison Center, Princeton University, May 2014, Princeton NJ

Keynote Address, "The Astonishment of Intellectual History," Annual Conference of the International Society of Intellectual History, June 2014, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Panelist, Bourse Chateaubriand, Government of France

Panelist, Agenzia Nazionale di Valutazione del Sistema Universitario e della Ricerca, Ministry of Education, Italy

2014-2015:

"The Significance and Insignificance of the Fall of the Berlin Wall," Victims of Communism Memorial Foundation, November 2014, Washington, DC.

"The Victims of Communism: Why We Forget," BB&T Lecture Series, Florida Gulf Coast University, March 2015, Fort Meyers, FL.

Lecture, "The Assault upon Individual Identity, Individual Responsibility, and Private Conscience," Biennial Culture and Policy Conference, Center for Political and Economic Thought Saint Vincent College, April 2015, Latrobe, PA

Panelist, Bourse Chateaubriand, Government of France

2015-2016:

July, 2015, Freedom Fest, Las Vegas NV: "The Paradox of John Stuart Mill: *On Liberty* and *The Principles of Political Economy*"

July, 2015, YAF Annual Conference, Washington, DC: "On Socialism"

October, 2015, Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation Conference, Kohler, WI: "The State of Academic Freedom"

November, 2015, Princeton University, "The Future of the Humanities"

March, 2016, French Historical Studies Annual Conference, Nashville, TN: "Catholic and Deistic Critiques of French Enlightenment Materialism"

March, 2016, Annual Pope Lecture, Clemson University, Clemson, SC: "Free Speech and the Academic Culture Wars"

March, 2016, Keynote Address, Grand Valley State University, Grand Valley, MI: "The Betrayal of Liberty and Dignity on America's Campuses"

March-April, 2016, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, "The Debate Over Naturalism in the Late 17th and Early 18th Centuries in France"

April, 2016, Heritage Foundation Annual Legal Conference, Philadelphia, PA: Keynote Address, "Free Speech on America's Campuses"

May, 2016, Princeton University, "A Tribute to the Historical Contributions of Allen Guelzo"